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Application No.: 09/155,982		)	Examiner: V. Portner	-H
Filed:	October 9, 1998	)	Confirmation No.: 9420	110
For:	MEANS FOR DETECTING BACTERIA OF THE TAYLORELLA EQUIGENITALIS SPECIES AND THEIR BIOLOGICAL APPLICATIONS	)		hinda 1/25/6
PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME				
Assistant Commissioner for Patents Washington, D.C. 20231				
Sir:				
The following extension of time is requested to extend the time period for responding to the				
Office Action mailed March 22, 2002:				
one month to July 22, 2002; the extension fee is:				
[ ] \$55.00 (215) [X] \$110.00 (115).				
[ ] The shortened statutory period has been reset by an Advisory Action dated				
[ ] An extension fee in the amount of \$ is enclosed.				
[X] Charge \$ 110.00 to Deposit Account No. 02-4800.				
The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any appropriate fees under 37 C.F.R.				
§§ 1.16, 1.17 and 1.21 that may be required by this paper, and to credit any overpayment, to				
Deposit Account No. 02-4800. This paper is submitted in duplicate.				
Respectfully submitted,				
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